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## To Prohibit Use of Raisin-Seeder.

### Phoenix Company Said to Be Infringers.

#### United States Consolidated Seeded Raisin Company Sues Gartenlaub and Pratt.

From Friday's Daily. The United States Consolidated Seeded Raisin Company has begun suit in the circuit court of the United States for the Northern District of California against the Phoenix Raisin Seeding and Packing Company from using a seeding device alleged to be covered by its patent issued to George C. LaDue on July 25, 1935, and now controlled by the first named corporation.

The summons in the case was issued by Judge DeHaven of the federal court and was served on Gartenlaub & Pratt Inc. by City and County Deputy United States Marshal Joseph J. DeHaven. The defendants are commanded to appear before Judge DeHaven next Monday to show cause why a temporary injunction should not be issued restraining them from making, using or selling the seeding machines containing said device for seeding raisins which is patented in the claims of George C. LaDue. The claims, which it is alleged, are being infringed upon are Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of United States Letters Patent No. 2,143,824.

The complaint further sets forth that Gartenlaub and Pratt are using a certain seeding device patented by Carey S. Fox, which, the complainants allege, is included in the patent issued to LaDue. The suit is brought on the papers in the case of the Fruit Cleaning Company vs. the Fresno, Hedges, and Chamber of Commerce, in which the defendants of Thomas H. Lynch, R. D. Chittenden, A. C. Freeman and A. J. Hechtman.

One of the most interesting papers in the case is the affidavit of Thomas H. Lynch, in which he describes the secret device for seeding raisins which he alleges is being used by Gartenlaub and Pratt in violation of the provisions of the letters patent issued to LaDue. Among other things Mr. Lynch says: "That said machines contain a carrier roll provided with a series of points or teeth spaced to engage the seed of the fruit. This impaling or perforating roll receives the unseeded fruit from a hopper. Engaging the said impaling or perforating roll, the unseeded fruit is fed from the hopper to the surface of the impaling roll. The rotation of the latter carries the fruit underneath the rubber frictional roll mentioned and the pressure thereby produced causes the fruit to be impaled to a limited extent upon the points of the teeth of the impaling roll. The impaled fruit is then carried by the said rubber frictional roll to another roll of smaller diameter adjustably mounted and arranged to be rotated nearer to the impaling roll so that as the fruit partially impaled on the teeth of the carrier roll and passes underneath the second roll the pressure thereof causes the fruit to be further impaled upon the teeth and below this second pressure roll is another pressure roll similar to the surface of the impaling roll. The carrier roll so that it causes the fruit to be further impaled on the teeth of the carrier roll."

"In this way is provided three pressure mechanisms in the shape of rolls operating to produce a gradually increasing pressure until the maximum is reached and during this operation the skin of the fruit adjacent to the pressure rolls is punctured, ruptured or broken and through the opening thus made in the skin of the fruit the seeds are forced and in further rotation these seeds are rubbed or scraped off by another mechanism in the shape of blades and the raisins thus deprived of their seeds are stripped from the teeth of the impaling roll and dropped into a receptacle provided for that purpose."

"The complainants also set forth that the seeding season is now on and that if the Phoenix Company is allowed to continue its use of the device great injury will result to the plaintiffs."

## HOPPERS AAGIN.

### They Did Much Damage This Year.

#### The State University Devoting Attention to the Mischievous Creatures.

From Friday's Daily. W. T. Clark, a field operator of the State University, has been in this city for the last couple of days, looking into the thrips pest, which he has learned from inquiry and observation has been more numerous this year than any previous year. Thus far a thorough measure of exterminating the thrips is as far from discovery as ever.

None of the various devices has been found successful, as is evidenced by the increase of the hoppers. In previous years the hoppers were not so numerous. They have been discovered in all likelihood, for the reason that the thrips has a habit of laying its eggs on the underside of the leaves.

Professor Woodworth, who made quite a study of the thrips last year, will be here Saturday and will address a meeting of farmers at the Farmers' Club, in the Chamber of Commerce room. Mr. Clark will remain here until Saturday.

## ADVANCE IN RATES.

### Tariff on Wines and Canned Goods Increased.

The local office of the Southern Pacific Company has been notified of several material increases in freight rates on wines and canned goods shipped to New Orleans and New York over the transcontinental lines. The changes will go into effect October 1st.

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## RURAL DELIVERY

### An Unexpected Hitch Has Occurred.

#### The Chamber of Commerce Committee Has More Work Before It.

From Friday's Daily. An unexpected hitch has occurred in the effort to secure free rural mail delivery for Fresno. As has been previously explained, Postmaster J. W. Short, in conjunction with a committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce on the subject, has been working hard to secure the daily delivery of mail to the numerous and intelligent colony residents, and it was thought that within a short time the efforts in that direction would be crowned with success.

Special Agent Annin, who has charge of the rural delivery branch of the postoffice system, some time ago wrote for a map showing the territory that it is desired to have included in the rural delivery district, and Chairman W. T. Mattingly, of the Chamber of Commerce committee sent him a map at Salt Lake, which he makes his headquarters. The map was from there forwarded to him to a town in Arizona. Mr. Annin wrote acknowledging the receipt of the map, stating that he would have it included in the district. It was then thought that everything was all right, and the committee rested on their laurels.

The other day Mr. Annin wrote to Postmaster Short from Phoenix, Arizona, before the committee could be done he would have to have a map with the proposed routes delineated on it. Also the committee would have to obtain written agreements from 100 residents for every 25 miles of route, signing the map, and the committee would have to have a map with the proposed routes delineated on it. Also the committee would have to obtain written agreements from 100 residents for every 25 miles of route, signing the map, and the committee would have to have a map with the proposed routes delineated on it.

## GOOD CLEAN-UP.

### Clarence J. Berry on His Way Home With \$60,000.

The following telegram from Seattle, of interest in Fresno, appeared in yesterday's issue of the San Francisco Examiner:

Clarence Berry of Fresno, with the single exception of Alcock McDonald, has been named by the Kluge's men, arrived from Dawson tonight on the steamer City of Topeka. He has \$60,000 of native gold with him, said to be about one-third of the season's yield of the El Dorado mines owned by the Berry family. Mrs. Berry accompanied her husband. She is in poor health.

## THE SUPERVISORS.

### They Try the Clovis Sanitary Election Again.

The Board of Supervisors for the third time yesterday ordered an election for the formation of a sanitary district at Clovis. The two former attempts failed, owing to blunders in publishing the election notice. The board concluded to have it done right this time. The election was held at Clovis, California, on September 28, 1939. The board concluded to have it done right this time. The election was held at Clovis, California, on September 28, 1939.

## REFUSED TO PAY

### For Damage to Trees on the Cemetery Road.

A good number of the members of the executive committee of the Hundred Thousand Club were present last night at the regular weekly meeting. President Mark Webster was in the chair and J. M. Collier was temporary secretary until the arrival of Secretary J. M. Collier. J. M. Collier was temporary secretary until the arrival of Secretary J. M. Collier.

## MYSTERIOUS CASE.

### Well-Known Man Has Completely Disappeared.

Considerable speculation is being indulged in about the disappearance of a well-known resident of this city, who disappeared about the middle of July. Christopher was formerly a salesman for the Kurner-Foldstein Company and later worked for Louis Einstein & Company. Thomas A. Christopher of this city is a brother of the missing man, and a sister, Mrs. Fred Burkhardt also lives here. He was not financially embarrassed for he left considerable property and other assets. He was last seen in a dark coat and hat, and was of medium height. He had a dark complexion, brown hair and a heavy mustache. He was of medium height. He had a dark complexion, brown hair and a heavy mustache.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

### More Individual Packages of Fruit Wanted.

The latest contributions in the Chamber of Commerce fruit exhibit are as follows: from Henry Kruse of Tarpey, bunches of Muscat grapes, twelve bunches long and weighing six pounds each; also bunches of black muscat grapes, eleven bunches long and weighing eleven pounds each; from Nishkan Brothers, a fine collection of fancy dried peaches.

## LIKE AN APPARITION

### Moves Pat Hennelly's Steed About on Rubber Shoes.

Pat Hennelly is the proudest policeman in Fresno today. He has the distinction of being mounted officer and to add to the distinction he has one of the finest steeds ever seen in Fresno. So frisky is the animal that the officer has to exercise him twice each day in addition to riding him all night.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A surprise party was given at Mrs. Pettit's residence last night before last by her daughter, Frances, seven years old. The party was given at her home and was a most successful one. The guests were all present and the party was a most successful one.

## BOUST'S MOVEMENTS.

### Rounding Up Violators of the Federal Laws.

Deputy United States Marshal E. J. Boust returned from Bakersfield yesterday, where he had been attending to various kinds of government business. The marshal went to the mountains in Kern county and arrested three men who were violating federal laws. The men were arrested for trespassing on government reserves with their livestock. The men will have their hearings before Commissioner Moody at Bakersfield on October 1st.

## THE COUNTY'S MONEY.

### Treasurer's Books Audited Day Before Yesterday.

The quarterly examination of the books of the County Treasurer was made day before yesterday at the court house. The following is the substance of the report made:

"We, the undersigned, having counted the moneys in the treasury of Fresno county, California, and the following statement of funds to be correct as shown by the records of said office on said date, to-wit:

"Balance on hand, September 1, 1939	\$164,028.24
"Cash received to date.....	6,714.23
"Total.....	\$170,742.47
"Warrants paid to date.....	35,601.91
"Balance.....	\$135,140.56
"Certificates Central California Bank.....	2,478.88
"Certificates First National Bank.....	45,745.33
"Certificates Fresno National Bank.....	37,474.10
"Certificates Farmers' National Bank.....	40,913.08
"Certificates Superior General.....	380.00
"Cash in till.....	8,057.13
"J. H. SAYRE, County Auditor."	

## MATCH ARRANGED.

### Between Joe Ray and Ed Hennessey—Minor Bout.

At a meeting of the directors of the Fresno Athletic Club last evening a 20-round match was arranged between Joe Ray of the Olympic Club and Ed Hennessey of the Fresno Athletic Club. The match will take place between the club members of the Fresno Athletic Club. The match will take place between the club members of the Fresno Athletic Club.

## THROWN FROM A RIG.

### The Father of J. M. Kerr Injured at Caliente.

The father of J. M. Kerr, the County Recorder, who was on a visit to his son, W. H. Kerr, on the West Side, had an accident yesterday afternoon. He was thrown from a rig, striking on his head. He was taken to Goleta, where he was attended by Dr. Lusk. He is now in the hospital. He is in the hospital.

## CONFINED TO HIS BED.

### The Following Very Pathetic Case Is Called to the Attention of the Public by Al Mason, the Tender-Hearted Constable of Fowler.

Editor Republicans—Night before last a sneak thief stole the underwear of Editor Harris of the Fowler Ensign. He did not know that the underwear was his. He did not know that the underwear was his. He did not know that the underwear was his.

## CONVICTED OF PETTY LARCENY.

### Ida Rogers Was Tried before a Jury in Recorder Crocker's Court Yesterday Afternoon and Found Guilty on a Charge of Petty Larceny.

The prisoner offered to pay \$50 of the fine but was told that the court would not reduce the fine, however, and the prisoner went to jail.

## A VOTE OF THANKS

### Given Fresno by Ladies' Auxiliary of Veteran Firemen.

A meeting of the ladies, wives and daughters of the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association of California, held at headquarters of the Veterans' Association, Monday night, September 25, 1939. The ladies, wives and daughters of the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association of California, held at headquarters of the Veterans' Association, Monday night, September 25, 1939.

## DEATH NEAR COALINGA.

### Inquest Over the Body of Jonathan Taylor.

Coroner Long returned last night from Coalinga, where he had called early the day before by telegram from Coalinga, saying that a man had been found dead. When he got out there he found that the dead man was an old man named Jonathan Taylor. He had died thirty miles from Coalinga, near a postoffice called Wagon.

## NEW BANK BUILDING.

### A Handsome Structure to Be Erected at Selma.

The Bank of Selma intends to erect one of the prettiest bank buildings in the state at Selma. The building is to be erected on the corner of the old Mission street and the new street. The building is to be erected on the corner of the old Mission street and the new street. The building is to be erected on the corner of the old Mission street and the new street.

## HABEAS CORPUS.

### Invoked in the Case of a Man Under Peace Bonds.

Stanton L. Carter last evening took out a writ of habeas corpus in the case of W. C. Collins, who was bound under \$1000 bond by Justice E. Schuchly of Bakersfield to keep the peace. He was held under bonds on the following grounds:

## STOLE A STEER.

### Residents of Footfalls Arrested for Larceny.

Are Root and Theodore Root, brought before the court yesterday afternoon. They were charged with stealing a steer belonging to Thomas Wheaton of Wheatville.

## FINED \$100.

### Penalty Imposed on Ida Rogers for Petty Larceny.

The Rogers a colored woman from across the track, who was convicted on a charge of petty larceny in Recorder Crocker's court day before yesterday, appeared for sentence yesterday morning. She was fined \$100 with the alternative of 100 days in jail.

## AN INSANE SUICIDE.

### Stockton, Sept. 25.—Lilly Indorf, about 20 years of age, an inmate of the city hospital, committed suicide at that institution yesterday afternoon by strangling herself with a strip of bed clothing which she had secured from the room and used as a noose.

## A MINISTER EXPELLED.

### COLUMBUS, Sept. 25.—John M. Life, chaplain of the Seventh Ohio Volunteers was today found guilty by the Ohio Methodist conference of conduct unbecoming a minister of the Gospel, in using disrespectful language to Rose Lee, the daughter of the lieutenant colonel of the regiment, and was expelled from the ministry.

## HAIR BALM.

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